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SUBJECT: CANADIAN AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF 413.5 MHZ
BY U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE PERSONNEL

REF: OTTAWA 618

1. AUTHORIZATION FOR USDA RADIO OPERATIONS HAS BEEN THE SUBJECT OF INTENSIVE DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN EMBASSY AND DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS (DOC). TWO APPROACHES ARE POSSIBLE, ONE INVOLVING GOC LICENSING OF EQUIPMENT AND THE OTHER GOC REGISTRATION OF U.S. LICENSED EQUIPMENT. DOC PREFERS LATTER APPROACH.

2. IN LETTER, DATED MARCH 3, W.W. SCOTT (DIRECTOR, OPERATIONS BRANCH, TELECOMMUNICATION REGULATORY SERVICE, DOC), ADVISED TCO: "SHOULD YOU DESIRE TO HAVE THE ABOVE NOTED RADIO TRANSCEIVERS LICENSED IN CANADA, PLEASE ARRANGE TO HAVE THE ENCLOSED APPLICATIONS SIGNED BY AN OFFICIAL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. WHEN COMPLETED PLEASE RETURN TO THIS OFFICE TOGETHER
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WITH FEES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$60.00 IN CANADIAN FUNDS (\$10.00 PER STATION) PAYABLE ANNUALLY TO THE RECEIVER GENERAL OF CANADA, AT WHICH TIME WE WILL BE PLEASED TO ISSUE THE NECESSARY CANADIAN RADIO STATION LICENCES IN RESPECT TO THE FACILITIES."

3. IN FURTHER LETTER OF MARCH 4 HE ADDED:"...IF YOU CAN

ARRANGE TO HAVE THE EQUIPMENT LICENSED IN THE UNITED STATES WE WOULD BE PLEASED TO ISSUE CERTIFICATES OF REGISTRATION AUTHORIZING ITS USE IN THIS COUNTRY. THEREFORE, IF YOU DESIRE TO PROCEED IN THIS MANNER, WHICH WE WOULD FAVOUR, AND ARE SUCCESSFUL IN OBTAINING THE NECESSARY U.S. LICENCES, WOULD YOU PLEASE ARRANGE FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE ENCLOSED FORMS AND RETURN THEM TO THIS OFFICE FOR AUTHENTICATION."

4. COMMENT: WE HAVE FORWARDED BY MAIL THREE COPIES OF THE DOC APPLICATION FORM AND SIX COPIES OF A DOC REGISTRATION FORM TO: E. JOHN ALBERTS, FOREST SERVICE, ELECTRONICS CENTER, US DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, P.O. BOX 345, GREENBOLT, MARYLAND 20770. WHICHEVER COURSE USDA WISHES TO FOLLOW, THE APPROPRIATE FORMS SHOULD BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED PROMPTLY TO TCO. IF CANADIAN LICENSING IS DESIRED, IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THERE WILL BE A FEE OF TEN CANADIAN DOLLARS FOR EACH OF THE SIX UNITS (C\$60.00 TOTAL) WHICH MUST ACCOMPANY FORMS WHEN RETURNED TO DOC. USDA SHOULD PROVIDE FISCAL DATA AND EMBASSY WILL ARRANGE TO MAKE ACTUAL PAYMENT. LEARY

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